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GOVERNMENT OF REPUBLIC OF CHINA (GROC) DISCLOSED TO NEWSPAPER THAT SAUDI AGRICULTURE MINISTER ALSHEIKH WILL REPRESENT SAUDI GOV'T TO FORMALLY SIGN SUBJECT AGREEMENT FOR FOLLOWING FIVE YEARS ON FEB. 26, 1977. THIS AGREEMENT WAS INFORMALLY ACCEPTED BY BOTH GOV'TS ON DEC. 28, 1976 AND IS TO CONTINUE THE OLD AGREEMENT WHICH EXPIRED ON JAN, 19, 1977. USUALLY RELIABLE SOURCE IN MINISTRY OF ECONOMIC AFFAIRS HAS CONFIRMED NEWSPAPER ACCOUNT. MAJOR CONTENTS OF THIS AGREEMENT, IN ADDITION TO THOSE CONTAINED IN SECOND PARAGRAPH OF REFTEL, ARE AS FOLLOWS: A) ROC AGRICULTURAL TECHNICAL MISSION WILL BE EXPANDED TO 21 PERSONS FROM 11 PERSONS; B) NEW PROJECT SITES, BESIDES ORIGINAL HOFUFU IN EAST, ARE QUSIN IN NORTHEAST AND ASIA IN MIDDLE; C) PROJECT EXPENSES INCLUDING SALARIES FOR ROC MISSION MEMBERS WILL BE BORN BY SAG EXCEPT COSTS OF AGRICULTURAL MATERIALS, SUCH AS SEED, FERTILIZER, PESTICIDES AND FARMING MACHINERY FOR NEW PROJECT SITES, WHICH WILL BE PAID BY GROC.
BESIDES SIGNING ABOVE AGREEMENT, MINISTER ALSHEIKH WILL DISCUSS
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WITH ASAIAN VEGETABLE RESEARCH AND DEVELOPMENT CENTER (AVRDC) POSSIBLE AVRDC ASSISTANCE TO DEVELOPMENT OF SAUDI VEGETABLE GROWING.
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